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Mr WALKER,

At his house, Jolly's Buildings, head of Leith Walk,

RETURNS his most grateful thanks to his Friends and the Public, for past favours, and begs leave respectfully to acquaint them, That he continues to teach the following branches, viz.—The Elements of Euclid, Geography, Writing, and Drawing.

In the Lectures upon Geography, he will introduce and illustrate those other parts of Natural Philosophy which are connected with that science, besides giving preliminary and general lessons on all the other branches.

As he has given up his Public School, he can now more fully accommodate Private Classes, and these Boarding Schools who may be pleased to favour him with their employment, these being the principal motives which has induced him to alter his former plan.

He will begin a Course of Lectures on Geography, in the High School of Leith, on Wednesday the 16th inst. at five o'clock afternoon, to continue for three months, five times a week. Those who mean to attend this Course will be pleased to leave their names with either of the following Gentlemen, viz.—Mr Coke, Mr Pattie, or Mr Reid, booksellers.

N. B. His Station on Leith Walk is well adapted for those who go from Leith to attend other branches in Edinburgh.

CHEMISTRY AND PHARMACY.

MR NELSON will begin his usual Summer Course of Lectures on *Chemistry* and *Pharmacy* upon Tuesday May 8th, at ten o'clock forenoon; and a similar Course at five o'clock, at his Class Room, Surgeons Square. Gentlemen to whom it may be convenient, will have the liberty of attending both Lectures.

Tickets Two Guineas—Perpetual Tickets Four Guineas.

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Edinburgh, March 26. 1798.

NORTHERN POST.
ABERDEEN, APRIL 30. 1798.

AT the ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the COMMISSIONERS of SUPPLY for the County of ABERDEEN,

Sir ARCHIBALD GRANT of Monnymusk, Bart. Preses,

The Meeting having taken into consideration the detention of the North Post at Edinburgh—

Resolved unanimously,

That the detention of the mail in its progress from the metropolis to the provinces north of the Forth, so much complained of, whereof the cause and remedy have in former representations been pointed out, is, in the present state of public affairs, more than ordinarily prejudicial, by impeding the quickest conveyance of intelligence, respecting invasions or measures connected therewith, not only from the seat of Government, but equally so going to it.

Resolved unanimously,

That, independent of local advantages, the quickest conveyance of intelligence by means of the post becomes essentially necessary for the safety of the country at large, and the general interest of Government, at this unexampled and important crisis. And the Meeting express their most earnest desire, that proper and early measures may be adopted for preventing the detention of the mail at Edinburgh, and by that means avoid the danger to which the whole country may thereby be unnecessarily exposed.

Resolved,

That copies of these Resolutions be transmitted to the Post-master General for Great Britain, to the Right Honourable Henry Dundas, Secretary of State; to Mr Ferguson, Member for the County; and to Mr Allardyce and Mr Brodie, Members for the Burghs in the County; and also that they be published in the Edinburgh and Aberdeen news-papers.

ARCH. GRANT, Preses.

INVERESK.

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STAMP-OFFICE, Edinburgh, 30th April 1798.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Hair-Powder Certificates will continue to be given out at this office, and the respective offices in the country, as formerly advertised, for two weeks longer from this date, *from ten o'clock forenoon* till three afternoon, for payment of the duty *only*.

Every person wearing Hair-powder since the 5th April curt. without having taken out a certificate, forfeits *twenty pounds*.

ALEXANDER MENZIES, Head Distributor and Collector, North Britain.

N. B. Informations will be received by the Solicitor against all persons wearing Hair-powder without a licence, who will give suitable rewards to the informers; and those still neglecting to take out certificates after this intimation, will have themselves to blame for being prosecuted for the penalty of 20l. An alphabetical list is always ready for inspection at this office, and also at the other offices in the country.

By order of his Grace the DUKE of BUCCLEUCH, Lord Lieutenant of the County of Mid Lothian, and of the Hon. LORD PROVOST, Lord Lieutenant of the City and County of Edinburgh.

THE Lord Lieutenant of the County of Mid Lothian, and the Lord Lieutenant of the City and County of Edinburgh, feel themselves called upon, by the act 5th April 1798, for regulation of the internal defence of the country, and by the late circular letters, and other communications from the Secretary of State's Office, to urge, in the most earnest manner, all those within their jurisdictions, who, though well affected to the constitution of their country, have not as yet taken up arms in its defence, to join, without delay, one or other of the armed associations, the institution and maintenance of which bear so high a testimony to the loyalty and spirit of the country. It must occur to every individual, that, by neglecting the present opportunity of acquiring military discipline, his services at the hour of actual danger must be rendered nearly fruitless to the country, and certainly peculiarly hazardous to himself.

As the possession of numerous, trusty, and well appointed bodies of cavalry is peculiarly desirous in the prospect of invasion, it is the present object of the Lords Lieutenants strongly to recommend to all Gentlemen, Yeomen, and Farmers, within the County and City, who are accustomed to keep horses, to join one or other of the volunteer corps of cavalry already raised. In particular, as the establishment of the ROYAL EDINBURGH LIGHT DRAGOONS is yet incomplete, owing to the loss of many members, whose acquisition of military knowledge has qualified them to be promoted to offices of command in the different corps of yeomanry lately raised, such gentlemen as are resident in or near the metropolis, and keep horses for exercise or amusement, have an opportunity of holding an honourable station in the defence of their country, by joining that corps.

In holding forth this invitation the Lords Lieutenants deem it fit to be made known, that the state of discipline already acquired by the corps above alluded to, will greatly facilitate the progress of such recruits as now join it. As there is therefore a clear possibility, so there will doubtless be the utmost inclination to train, within a very short space of time, such Gentlemen as may now think fit to offer their services.

The Lords Lieutenants hope that no real well-wisher to his country, whose age and health permits him to take an active share in its defence, will, after this public call, any longer hesitate to step forward. The times do now clearly admit of *no delay*.

Edinburgh, May 1. 1798.

BUCCLEUCH.
THO. ELDER.

GENERAL DEFENCE—MID LOTHIAN.

THE Committee appointed at the General Meeting of this County on the 30th [illegible] meet, along with his Grace the [illegible] the 9th instant, within the Old Justiciary Court House, at two o'clock afternoon, to carry the act of the 38th of George III. entitled, "An Act to enable his Majesty more effectually to "provide for the defence and security of the realm," into further execution.

JAMES CLERK, Convener.

COUNTY OF FORFAR.

IT being impossible for Mr DEMPSTER to attend the Meeting of the Trustees under the turnpike act, on Saturday the 12th, as formerly advertised, he hereby gives notice, that the said meeting will be held at the same hour on Saturday the 19th instant.

FOR ACCOUNT OF THE MANUFACTURERS,
Exempt from the Auction Duty agreeable to act of Parliament,

JOHN WHITFIELD & CO.

Will put up to Public Sale, at their Warehouses, New Rents, St Martin's Le Grand, London, on Thursday the 7th June,

A Large and Valuable Assortment of BRITISH MANUFACTURED PIECE GOODS.——Further particulars and Catalogues of which, will be delivered in due time.

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There is to be SOLD by public roup, on Thursday 10th curt. in Lodging No. 18. North Hanover Street.

A LARGE Assortment of Dining, Drawing, and Bed room Furniture, consisting of Mahogany Tables, Chairs, Mirror Glasses, Wilton and other Carpets, Window Curtains, Mounted, Four-posted, and Tent Bedsteads, Down and Feather Beds, Blakets, Matresses, &c.; Carron Grates, Kitchen Jack, Grate, and other Furniture.

The sale to begin at eleven o'clock forenoon, and continue till all is sold.

The Goods to be seen the day preceding the sale, from eleven to four o'clock.

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FURNITURE, HORSES, & CARRIAGES, &c.

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THE Whole HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE belonging to the said Alexander Miller, with a great number of Horses, four Post Chaises, a Glasgow Fly, and the shares of an Edinburgh Fly, and a Hearse.

The Inn is to be Let at Whitsunday first, and any person who wishes to become tenant, will have an opportunity of purchasing the whole stock at a reasonable rate.—Credit will be given on sufficient security.

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N. B. This estate will be again exposed to sale in the course the summer. In the meantime private offers will be received.

DUNG TO BE LET.

To be LET by public roup, in John's Coffeehouse, on Wednesday the 9th May current, at one o'clock afternoon,

A LEASE of the DUNG of NICHOLSON PARK DISTRICT, for one or more years as can be agreed on.—The entry to be at Whitsunday the 15th May current.

For particulars, apply to Samuel Macknight, writer to the signet.

The inhabitants of Nicholson Park District are also desired to meet in the Royal Academy, on Wednesday the 9th current, at two o'clock afternoon, to elect Commissioners, Collector, Treasurer, and Clerk, for the ensuing year.

By order of the Convener.

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New Prunes, of the very best quality; Muscatell and Sun Raisins; Jordan Almonds, with Groceries of the best qualities, to be sold for Ready Money only, at the lowest prices possible.

N. B. The same Assortment of TEAS at his Tea Shop, shore of LEITH, and at his Tea Shop in ABERDEEN.

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To be SET by public roup, on Thursday the 10th day of May 1798, at one o'clock afternoon, within the house of Mrs Adam, Kirk Wynd, Falkirk,

THE FERRY at HIGGIN's NEUK, for one year from and after the 15th day of May 1798.

For further particulars, apply to Alexander Dickieson, writer Falkirk.

HOUSE IN GEORGE STREET.

To be SOLD, by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, on Wednesday the 16th of May, at twelve o'clock noon,

A HOUSE within itself, No. 61. in the west end of Geo. Street, with back ground, double couch-house, stable, hay loft, water-closet, pump-well, laundry, and washing-house, all plentifully supplied with water.

The house consists of a dining-room 29 feet by 19, two drawing-rooms, the one 29 feet by 18, the other 22½ feet by 14½, seven bed-chambers, besides garrets for servants, a kitchen, scullery, housekeeper's room, servants hall, cellars, &c. and is most substantially and handsomely fitted up.

The house will be shown Wednesdays and Fridays, from 12 to three o'clock; and those willing to purchase, may apply to [illegible] Clephan.

[illegible] house as soon as it will be [illegible] at Whitsunday.

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In the Counties of Clackmanan and Fife,

To be LET for 19 years, & entered to at Martinmas 1798.

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II. The Farm of WESTER FLISK, part of the barony of Ballinbreich, in the north of Fife, as at present possessed by James Sime. It consists of 143 acres, of which 114 are arable. It lies on the south banks of the Tay, within five miles of the port of Newburgh, and will be shown by Peter Brown, at Easter Flisk Mill, the baron officer.

Offers in writing to be given in between and the 12th day of June next, to Charles Innes and William Handyside, writers to the signet. George Aitken, writer in Cupar Fife, will also receive offers for the farm of Wester Flisk.

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George Allen, broad-weaver, of Limley-Stoke, Wilts, and distributor of Cruttwell's Bath Chronicle, cured of the Evil by these drops.

The Drops are sold at the Dispensary in Soho Square—and

Mr SCOTT, Apothecary, and	South Bridge,
Mr J. BAXTER, Italian Warehouse,	Edinburgh,
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Mr John Buchanan, jun. Sun Fire Office, Glasgow.

J. Mennons and J. Duncan, Glasgow	Mess. Morison & Son, Perth
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Maclelan, Greenock	Mr Dickson, druggist, and
M'Intosh, Inglis & Wilson, Inverness—Tho. Cave, Banff	Walker & Hodson, Newcastle
John Allan, Dundee	Mr Jollie, Carlisle
Mr Scott, surgeon, Kelso	Mr James Paton, and
Mr Dick, Surgeon, Dundee	Mr P. Craigie, Montrose.
Mr Anderson, Stirling	Mr Dempster, Cupar Fife.
	Mr Millar, druggist, Perth,
	Mr Gray, merchant, Hawick.

BRITISH PARLIAMENT.

HOUSE OF LORDS,

MAY 3.

In a Committee of the whole Houſe, examined witneſſes upon the claim to the Belhaven Peerage.—The Committee then adjourned to Tueſday.

HOUSE OF COMMONS,

MAY 3.

The additional ſalt duty bill was reported.

Mr TIERNEY thought that the bakers would ſuffer from the operation of this bill in its preſent ſhape, and ſuggeſted the propriety of poſtponing the third reading for a few days, in order to hear what objections would be urged againſt it by a claſs of people who had not the power of raiſing the price of their commodity on their cuſtomers.

Mr PITT ſaid, he had had a conference with ſeveral perſons of the trade alluded to, and he had the pleaſure to acquaint the Houſe that an expedient had been ſuggeſted, which he believed would be ſatisfactory to the bakers.

The report of the Committee of ways and means was read and agreed to.

London.

MAY 4.

INSURRECTION AT VIENNA.

A letter from Hamburgh, received by the mail of yeſterday, mentions the following further particulars reſpecting the tranſactions on the 13th ultimo, at the hotel of the French Ambaſſador, at Vienna:—

"Citizen Bernadotte called that day at noon at Baron Thugut's, and not finding him at home, left a note, informing the Miniſter *of his having received orders from the Directory to hoiſt the tri-coloured flag before his hotel.* —Baron Thugut returned an anſwer in writing, "that his hoiſting a flag would be contrary to the 3d article of the treaty of Campo Formio; as former French Ambaſſadors had never placed any arms or other mark of diſtinction before their hotels, nor did any other embaſſy do ſo, and that only ſuch perſons of rank, as were at the ſame time proprietors of the houſes which they inhabited, were in the habit of having their arms or cyphers placed before their houſes."

"During the tumult, Bernadotte wrote three notes to Baron Thugut, and received as many anſwers. The town Major, who haſted to the Ambaſſador's hotel with the firſt detachment of military, earneſtly entreated Bernadotte to take down the flag for one moment only; he anſwered "I want no tutor, the flag ſhall remain where it is now." Three ſhots, fired from the hotel, irritated the mob to the utmoſt pitch. When the mob penetrated into the hotel, the Ambaſſador was in one of the apartments on the firſt floor, attended by 14 perſons; but a detachment of grenadiers took poſt on the ſtair-caſe in time to protect the Ambaſſador.

"The Adjutant, who was ſent to the Imperial palace to demand a paſſport, required, that the chimney-ſweeper who took down the flag (a boy not 14 years old) ſhould be hanged."

Many contradictory accounts have prevailed for ſeveral days reſpecting Lord St Vincent and the Spaniards; one of them is, that the Cadiz fleet is at ſea, with which the Engliſh, it is ſaid, have had an advantageous rencontre. It is otherwiſe ſtated in the political circles at the weſt end of the town, that Spain is negociating with this country. It is impoſſible to reconcile ſuch jarring reports.

The Hamburgh mail due on Monday, arrived on Tueſday. It brings very little information reſpecting the late event at Vienna which is not already before the public. One of the reports, however, which have been in circulation, ſeems to be contradicted by the German Gazettes. According to them, it was Count Pergen, the Miniſter of Police, whoſe diſmiſſion General Bernadotte demanded; and not Baron Thugut, as it was aſſerted.

The laſt Hamburgh mail brought letters from Copenhagen, Lubec, and Altona. All theſe announce, that ſince the Britiſh Miniſter has appointed a convoy for the Baltic trading ſhips, the North Seas have been almoſt cleared of the little ſharks of French privateers. The ſame letters ſay, that the Engliſh ſhipping have engroſſed almoſt all the conveying goods from one port to another; and that the attempt of the French to ſeize all Britiſh property in neutral veſſels has totally failed.

A letter from Switzerland, dated April 18. ſays—On the 13th the town of Arbon, on the Boden Lake, which had accepted the new Conſtitution, was ſtormed by 500 peaſants, and all the public officers in it put to death. The women put out the eyes of the Bailiff; and a rich private individual, of the name of Meyer, was dragged ſo long in the ſtreets by theſe monſters, that he died; after which they carried their barbarity ſo far as to dance round his dead body. The remaining inhabitants of Arbon renounced the Conſtitution.—In Raſchab, ſeveral outrages have been committed; and at Heriſau, a prieſt, who had preached in behalf of the new Conſtitution, was murdered as he came out of the church. Many inhabitants of Appenzal and Toggenburg have fled, on account of the commotions, to Lindau and Bregenz.—On the 14th alſo, three hundred and ſixty cwt. of dollars of ſix livres (five ſhillings) each, were taken from Berne in waggons for France. About 26,000,000 of livres were found by the French in the treaſury of Berne, beſides the obligations of foreign powers.

Advices received from Canton, dated in November, ſtate, that in April 1797, the Spaniſh fleet, conſiſting of two line of battle ſhips and four frigates, diſpatched from Manilla to intercept our Company's ſhips, were reduced almoſt to wrecks by thoſe violent gales which the China ſhips encountered; and now, with one more line of battle ſhip, and another frigate, (after the loſs of one frigate, ſuppoſed to be ſunk in the ſtorm) are converted into batteries near Cavita Point, in Manilla Bay.

Several cheſts of gold, each containing 6000 pounds weight, have been brought to Florence from Rome, on account of the French.

A clauſe in the new bill for the ſale of the land-tax, inveſts a power in the tenant for life, to defeat all the proviſionary objects of entail, by enabling the immediate poſſeſſor to diſpoſe of all ſuch lands as he may think proper, to buy off the land-tax.

At twelve o'clock on Tueſday, the remains of the gallant Capt. Hood were brought on ſhore at Plymouth, for the purpoſe of being conveyed to his place of reſidence in Somerſetſhire, there to be interred. The corpſe, on its being landed, was met by all the Captains and other officers of his Majeſty's ſhips at Plymouth, and a field officer's guard of marines.

Wdneſday, a perſon named Haſtings was taken into cuſtody at the White Horſe Inn, Fetter Lane, by one of the Bowſtreet officers, under authority of a warrant from the Duke of Portland, charged with ſeditious and treaſonable practices.

The priſoner is clerk to a reſpectable mercantile houſe in Friday-ſtreet, for whom he was going to Hamburgh, and was juſt ſetting off in the mail coach for Yarmouth, when he was arreſted. His papers, &c. were ſeized, and ſeveral letters, and a book of ſeditious ſongs, were found.—Haſtings has very recently returned from Hamburgh.

The Lord Chancellor yeſterday ordered the Great Seal to be put to a patent of Baronetage to the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor, now Sir John William Anderſon.

Form of the oath adminiſtered by the Mancheſter conſpirators:—

"In the awful preſence of God, I do ſwear not to obey the Colonel, but the people; not the officers, but the Committee of United Engliſh, Iriſh, and Scotchmen, then ſitting in England, Ireland, and Scotland; and to aſſiſt with arms, as far as lies in my power, to form a Republican Government in theſe countries, and alſo to aſſiſt the French in their landing to free this country. So help me God."

Eight companies of the grenadier guards are under orders to march on Monday to Liverpool and Mancheſter. They amount to 640 men.

There are above 40,000 men in the Volunteer Aſſociations in London.

The conſumption of ſalt by bakers, within twelve miles of the Royal Exchange, is twelve ſacks per week. Allowing a buſhel of ſalt for the twelve ſacks, it will coſt the baker 15l. 12s. per year addition.

The Earl of Briſtol and Biſhop of Derry, who is ſtated in the French papers to have been lately arreſted in Italy, diſtinguiſhed himſelf greatly in the cauſe of Parliamentary Reform, towards the cloſe of the American war, and was appointed Delegate from the Volunteers of Derry to the Convention which was held in Dublin about that time, for the purpoſe of deviſing and digeſting a plan of reform to be ſubmitted to Parliament, but which the Houſe of Commons indignantly refuſed to receive from the hands of the late Mr Flood, who was alſo a member of the Convention. The conſequence of this refuſal was, that the Convention broke up, and the Biſhop of Derry, who had been received with military honours by the Volunteer corps of the ſeveral towns through which he paſſed on his way from Derry to Dublin, received ſimilar compliments on his return. He was eſcorted the whole of his journey by a troop of Volunteer Cavalry, belonging to Derry, who acknowledged his Lordſhip as their Commander. On his return to Derry, he was preſented with a very ſpirited addreſs by the ſeveral Volunteer corps of that city, on the failure of his patriotic miſſion; to which the Right Reverend Delegate returned a very animated anſwer, thanking his military conſtituents for their attachment to him, and animadverting with ſome ſeverity on the conduct of Mr Connolly, one of their Parliamentary Repreſentatives, who, in his ſenatorial capacity, was the [illegible] oppoſer of the plan of the Conventional Reformers. It concluded with the following remarkable words:

"May the moment of my tranſgreſſions be the laſt of my exiſtence."

Mr Grattan is arrived from Ireland, together with ſeveral other gentlemen as witneſſes on the trial of Mr O'Connor.

A certain Nobleman has, to the aſtoniſhment of his family, lately acknowleged his marriage twelve years ſince with a Lady, by whom he has now eight children living. The eldeſt boy has taken the title of Viſcount. The eclaircisſement, it ſeems, took place in conſequence of ſome ſlight which the Lady met with at a ball, and which determined her no longer to conceal her rank and ſituation.

Bank Report, up to May 1.

Voluntary -	L. 1,182,316	18 7
Aſſeſſed - -	685,851	6 2
	L. 1,868,168	4 9

HAMBURGH, April 4.

The glut of manufactured Engliſh goods at this market is ſo ſenſibly felt, that it has much diminiſhed the prices. Public auctions are daily held, and the goods frequently ſell under prime coſt, particularly cotton and woollen.

Notwithſtanding the ſuppoſed flouriſhing ſtate of the Hamburghers, yet bankruptcies are frequent. Within a ſhort time there have been three great failures, viz.

J. M. D. Lienau, -	for about	850,000 Marcs Banco.
G. Leſſer, -		290,000
J. C. Knauth, - -		620,000

amounting together to nearly 105,000l. Sterling.

The French miniſter Rynhert went a week ſince Ambaſſador to Naples. The French Conſul Lagot, with the concurrence of Leonard Bourdon, has eſtabliſhed three clubs, in two of which all perſons who chuſe to aſſociate are admitted. Upwards of 500 members are initiated, and amongſt them ſeveral reſident Engliſhmen. The third, at the Conſul's own houſe, is devoted to French citizens only. Their ſecond monthly fraternal dinner was held about a week ſince.

Two inſtalments have been remitted to the French of the 250,000l. which Leonard Bourdon moſt wickedly impoſed upon this city; and in order to remunerate the Chamber, an additional tonnage upon ſhipping is ſpeedily to take place.

—STOCKS.—

BANK STOCK	117¼	INDIA STOCK	
3 *per cent. con.*	48⅝ ½ ¼ ⅜	*Long Ann.*	13 5-16 ⅜
4 *per cent.*	59⅞ 59	*Short*	6 1-16
5 *per cent. Ann.*	74⅞ ⅝	*Lot. Tick.*	

This day (May 4.) at twelve o'clock,
3 *per cent. con.* 48¾ ½ ⅜

LONDON PRICES, APRIL 30.

HOPS.

BAGS.				POCKETS.			
Kent	4l 10s	to	5l 8s	Kent	4l 14s	to	6l os
Suſſex	4l 4s	to	5l os	Suſſex	4l 2s	to	5l 12s
Eſſex	3l 10s	to	5l 5s	Farnham	6l os		9l os

SKINS.

Sheep ſkins	2s 6d	to	5s 0d	Lamb Skins,	1s 9d	to	3s 0d
Sharlings,			6d				

LLOYD's MARINE LIST, Mar 4.

THE Factor, Kemp, from London, to New York, was ſpoke with on the 12th April, in lat. 50. long. 30. Parted with the convoy 28th March, in company with the Induſtry, Rebecca, Belvedere, and Warren. Separated from the Belvedere and Warren in a gale of wind, the beginning of April; the other three remained together.

The Induſtry, Smith, from Plymouth, to Teneriffe, is taken and carried into Morlaix.

The Mary, Spencer, of Shields, is loſt on Memel Bar.

The Unity, Lovelace, from Liverpool, to Africa, is put into Liſbon in diſtreſs.

The Turcelet, Young, from Clyde, to New Providence, is put back to Clyde, after being to the weſtward of Cape Clear.

The Three Siſters, Wood, from Liverpool, to Boſton, has been taken, retaken, taken again, and carried into Bayonne.

The Aurora, Wilſon, of Kincardine, is burnt at Ekerhaven in Norway.

The Swift, Waters, from Liſbon, to Newfoundland, is taken and carried into the River Vilone.

The Juffrow Lydia, Van Zon, from London, to Rotterdam, is taken and carried into Oſtend.

MAILS.

Arrived,—Ireland, 4.—Hamburgh, 1.—Jamaica, 0.—Leeward Iſlands, 0.——*Due*—Ireland, 4.—Hamburgh, 0.

WINDS AT DEAL.

May 1. N. E.—2. N. E.—3. N. E.

Caledonian Mercury.

EDINBURGH—MAY 7.

[FROM OUR LONDON CORRESPONDENT.]

HOUSE OF COMMONS, May 4.

SALT DUTY BILL.

Mr HOBHOUSE oppoſed the third reading of this bill. It would fall very heavy on the poor in ſeveral articles of food, and he was afraid they would in moſt caſes be charged more than the additional duty.

Mr MARTIN was of the ſame opinion.

Mr PITT ſaid, according to the beſt information he could procure, the average expence to poor families would not amount to more than he had already ſtated. But he begged it to be underſtood, that he did not conceive this burthen upon the lower orders, to be more than in juſtice and equity ſhould fall to their ſhare, eſpecially when the great burthens impoſed on the higher claſſes were conſidered, and that the preſent conteſt was for an object of as much importance to the poor as the rich.

Mr WILBERFORCE BIRD obſerved, that the duty would increaſe the price of bread.

The Lord MAYOR aſſured the Houſe, that it would effect the price of bread in a very ſmall degree; not above 1-4th of a farthing on the quarter loaf.

Mr WILLIAM SMITH wiſhed to know, whether a drawback would not be allowed on ſalt uſed in certain manufactures.

Mr PITT ſaid, he had always great objections to drawbacks, on account of the frauds which occurred in conſequence of them.

The bill was read a third time and paſſed.

The Lord MAYOR moved for leave to bring in a bill, for amending the act which regulates the aſſize of bread, &c.—Leave granted.

VOLUNTARY SERVICE.

Mr TIERNEY ſaid, he ſhould on Tueſday or Wedneſday, move for a Committee to conſider how the act for the defence of the country, had been carried into effect in the county of Surry.

SLAVE TRADE.

Mr THORNTON moved for leave to bring in a bill, for reſtricting that trade to a certain diſtrict of the coaſt of Africa, which will have the effect of prohibiting it in the northern part of the coaſt, which includes the colony of Sierra Leone.—Leave granted.

It now remains to be ſeen whether the Emperor will ſubmit to the inſolence of France, like the Roman Pontiff, or reſiſt and preſerve his political exiſtence.

From Switzerland we learn, that the peaſantry of the country continue deſperately to reſiſt the oppreſſion of their new protectors.—Military executions, we expect to hear by the next accounts, have been the dreadful conſequence.—Surely by this time the eyes of all Europe are opened!

A new conjecture in the political circles is, that the inſult offered to the French Ambaſſador at Vienna, was provoked by himſelf, for the purpoſe of affording the Directory a pretext to renew the war with the Emperor. In this proceeding they are ſtated to have a double object. In the firſt place they are deſirous of effectually cruſhing the power of Auſtria, by revolutionizing the territories of his Imperial Majeſty; and in the next, they may plead the importance of the new war as an excuſe for withdrawing their armies from the coaſts, and abandoning the Quixotic expedition againſt Britain, in order to employ them in a more promiſing field of action, and where the hope of plunder is leſs viſionary. Were it not for the inſtances of perfidy daily diſplayed by the French rulers, we ſhould be inclined to doubt the probability of this conjecture; but their conduct has long prepared us to expect from them every thing hoſtile to the principles of honeſty and juſtice.

Lieutenant-General Sir RALPH ABERCROMBY ſailed from Dublin for England on Monday laſt.

Lady ABERCROMBY embarked from Donaghadee on board the Palmer packet the 1ſt inſt. for Port-Partick.

THOMAS JUDKIN FITZGERALD, High Sheriff of the county of Tipperary, has iſſued a Proclamation, commanding all the people of that diſtrict who have deſerted their houſes to return to them, and ſupport his Majeſty's loyal ſubjects in preſerving the peace of the county.—To this Proclamation he ſubjoins the following ſingular

"*N. B.*—The High Sheriff thinks it his duty to return his warmeſt thanks to Mrs BUNBURY, who, with the aſſiſtance of two men ſervants, ſo gallantly defended her houſe, and compelled the rebels to retire, though they had broken into the houſe, and were in poſſeſſion of the hall; and he hopes that ſuch heroic conduct in a Lady of ſuch high diſtinction, eminent for beauty and elegance of manners, will raiſe the crimſon bluſh of ſhame on the pallid cheeks of thoſe young heroes who ſo diſgracefully and cowardly ſurrendered large quantities of well-loaded arms, to the rebels on their firſt approach, without having ſpunk enough to fire even a ſingle ſhot."

Died at Forfar, upon the 30th ultimo, JOHN URE Eſq. Sheriff Clerk of Forfar, in the 80th year of his age.

Mr ALEXANDER PATERSON, writer, died here on the 1ſt curt. His friends and relations will pleaſe accept of this notification of his death.

Mrs MARGARET HADOW, wife of Mr Robert Auld merchant, St Peterſburg, died 31ſt March, much and juſtly regretted.

We learn that the additional duty on Salt, attached on all Salt not removed from the works on the 26th ult the retailers have already advanced the price from 10d. to 2s. per peck, which is fully 6d. more than ought to be.

An additional liſt of ſubſcribers to the Northern Infirmary will be found in another part of this paper. Beſides theſe, however, we are informed that the Highland Society of London has voted 20l. *per annum*, in aid of that laudable and humane inſtitution.

On Wedneſday evening, a boy between four and five years of age, fell into the river Clyde, near the Old Bridge Glaſgow; the body was diſcovered by a woman floating down the river, who immediately plunged in and brought it out. Though the child was by all appearance dead, yet, by the long and unremitted exertions of Mr ARCHIBALD YOUNG, ſurgeon, it was reſtored to life; for which he has received the unanimous thanks of the Preſes and Directors of the Humane Society. The Society has given a reward to the woman who brought the child out of the water, and to the perſon who received the body into his houſe and aſſiſted in the recovery. In this inſtance, as well as in many others, the utility of this inſtitution muſt be evident, and it is hoped that the public will not fail to aid its benevolent exertions.

Owing to the very great increaſe of Highlanders in Glaſgow, it has been found neceſſary to erect an additional Gælic Chapel; and we are informed that the Roſsſhire Fencibles, quartered at Greenock, whence they heard that the Chapel was to be built, unanimouſly agreed to give one day's pay as a donation towards defraying the expence of the building.

The Loyal Whithorn Volunteers, under the command of Captain JOHN HATHORN of Caſtlewig, have unanimouſly offered, in caſe of invaſion, or imminent danger of it, to extend their ſervices to any part of the Weſtern Military Diſtrict of Scotland.

ANECDOTE.

Soliman the Second uſed frequently to ſay, that though a great Prince may love the treaſon, he muſt deteſt the traitor and that no man deſerved a ſeverer puniſhment than thoſe who dared to make a traffic of the public confidence. When this Prince laid ſiege to Rhodes, a traitor offered to put him in poſſeſſion of the place, and the Emperor engaged to beſtow upon him one of his daughters in marriage, on condition that the enterpriſe ſhould ſucceed. It did ſucceed, and the Sultan, on being reminded of his promiſe, brought forth his daughter, covered with gold and jewels, and aſſigned to her a conſiderable dowry. Then turning towards the traitor, "You ſee, ſaid he to him, that I ſcrupulouſly adhere to my word. But, continued he, as you are a Chriſtian, and my daughter a Mahometan, I cannot by our laws give her till you are a Muſſelman both within the ſkin and without it, and you are therefore doomed to be utterly ſtripped of that baptized and uncircumciſed ſkin you carry about you." With theſe words he gave order that his intended ſon-in-law ſhould be flayed; that then he ſhould be put into a bed covered with ſalt, thereby to aſſume the ſon of a true Mahometan, and that when thus converted, his conſort ſhould be conducted to him. The mandate was punctually executed, and the traitor reaped no other fruit from his treachery, than an untimely death fraught with tortures.

Shipping Intelligence.

SOUND INTELLIGENCE.

Paſſed upwards.

April 23. Induſtry, Cooper, from Greenock for Memel, ballaſt.
24. Friends, Kidd, from Arbroath, for Pillau, do.
Bon Adventure, Paterſon, from do. for Riga, do.
Active, Mills, from Dundee for do. do.
Livie, Howie, from do. for do. do.
Centurion, Lyall, from Montroſe, for do. do.
Eliſa, Wrongham, from Dundee, for do. do.
James and Dar. Cairns, from do. for do. do.
Induſtry, Elder, from do. for do. do.
Fame, Henderſon, from do. for do. do.
Speedwell, Machan, from do. for do. do.
Walters, Simpſon, from Dunbar, for Memel, do.
Alexander, Carthenes, from Dundee, for do. do.
Jane, Taylor, from do. for do. do.
Eliſa, Samſon, from Leith, for Riga, do.
Catherine, Williamſon, from Kirkaldy, for do.
Jane, Inglis, from Leith, for Baltic, do.
Athol, Rait, from Dundee, for Pillau, do.
Mary, Garrie, from do. for Memel, do.
James, Murriſon, from Arbroath, for Riga, do.
John, Caird, from do. for do. do.
Riga Merchant, Rob, from Dundee, for Memel, do.
Nancy, Steven, from Arbroath for Riga, ballaſt.
Forth, Mill, from Montroſe for Pillau, do.
William and Thomas, Baron, from Dundee for Dantzic, do.
Ducheſs of Buccleugh, Bar, from Leith for do.
Peggy, Caithneſs, from Dundee for Riga, do.
Mary, Kier, from Arbroath, for Pillau, do.
Montroſe Pt., Garden, from Montroſe for Riga, do.
Amity, Bowman, from Dundee for Liſbon, do.
Margaretta, White, from Anſtruther for Danzic.
Carier, Ogilvie, from Aliſa for Memel, do.
Hope, Carnegie, from Montroſe for Riga, do.
Vaſilovitz, Ure, from Grangemouth for St Petersburgh, do.
Antelope, Smart, from Dundee for Riga, do.

PASSED DOWNWARDS.

April 21. Ducheſs of York, Halket, from Pillau for Berwick.
23. Olive Branch, Tap, from do. for Leith, wheat.
Truſty, Laverock, from Dantzic for Grangemouth.
Renown, Dees, from Memel for Fiſherrow, timber.
24. Peter, Hutchinſon, from do. for Ayr, do.
Duke of Athol, Dryſdale, from Pillau for Berwick.
Hope, Anderſon, from Memel for Dundee, ballaſt.

The Good Deſign armed ſhip is juſt arrived in the Sound with a fleet of about 50 ſail, from the frith of Forth.

We learn that the Aurora of Kincardine, Wilſon, belonging to the above fleet, caught fire in the harbour of Ekerhaven, Norway, and was burnt.

The James and Mary, Clay, from Gottenburgh Barn is arrived in the Sound, and waits convoy.

Wind N. W.—moderate weather.

ELSINORE, April 24. HOWDEN & CO.

LONDON

ENTERED INWARDS.

MAY 3

Berwick—Lizard, Ruſſell; Berwick Merchants, White.

—CLEARED OUTWARDS—

Perth—Active George White.

—ARRIVED AT LEITH—

May 3. Jane, Carſe, from Peterhead goods; Ann, Sinclair, from Gottenburgh, ditto; Edinburgh and Berwick Packet, Cooper, from London, ditto.—4. Endeavour, Tod, from Perth ditto; Betſey and Janet, Flat, from Stromneſs; and nine ſloops from coals.

—CLEARED OUT—

Admiral Duncan, M'Lachlan, for Greenock, goods; Janet and Sarah, Thomſon, for Hull, ditto.——Wind E. moderate.

TOBERMORY, ISLAND OF MULL, April 28. 1798.

On the 15th inst. arrived in this harbour, Potach St Joaquin & Almos, Antonio Teixeira de Lira master, from Oporto, with a cargo of wine and fruit, bound for Dublin. On the 14th of this month she carried away her fore-top mast, and was obliged to come to anchor (not being acquainted) at a very dangerous place, on the north west side of this island, where seven of the crew deserted, leaving only the Captain and a sick man on board; they hoisted a signal of distress—six of the country people went off to their assistance, got the vessel under sail, and brought her in here. The Prince of Wales Excise yacht, under the command of Captain William Murray, being put in here on her way round to Leith, he was applied to by a Gentleman from the shore, for a few of his people to assist on board the Potach, in putting up a new fore-top-mast; this, with a generosity and goodness of heart, for which he is always distinguished, he readily complied with, and not only allowed the people to go, but went himself on board, and set his men to work; such generous actions to poor strangers in distress should not be allowed to pass unnoticed.

SUBSCRIPTIONS
TO THE NORTHERN INFIRMARY CONTINUED.

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Amount formerly advertised	1790	13	2
County of Inverness, first donation	40	0	0
The Rev. Presbytery of Inverness	50	0	0
Gen. Sir Hector Munro of Novar, K. B.	157	10	0
The Right Hon. the Earl of Moray	100	0	0
Convener M'Leod, for the Incorporated Trades of Inverness	60	0	0
Archibald Alves, Esq. of Springfield	21	0	0
David Davidson, Esq. of Cantray	10	10	0
Mr Thomas Davy, druggist, London	5	5	0
James M'Pherson, Esq. Ardersier	5	5	0
Mr William Fraser, Commissary of Inverness	5	5	0
Major Alexander Grant, Urquhart	5	5	0
Mr Alexander Tolmie, for the late Thomas Tolmie's heirs	5	5	0
Capt. Gregor Grant, Lakefield	5	5	0
Mr Duncan Grant, Delfhangie	3	3	0
Mr Colin Shaw, at Holm	2	2	0
Mr John Sinclair Milntown of Culloden	1	1	0
Mr William Edwards	3	3	0
Mr John Ettles, Hatell, Inverness	4	4	0
Mr Evan Macpherson	2	2	0
Mr Duncan Fraser, distiller, Campbelltown	1	1	0
Mr Alexander Bremner, glazier	2	2	0
Mr James Alves, Conadge	2	2	0
Capt. Donald Bain, of Inverness	5	5	0
Dr M'Ombie, Rector of the Academy	5	5	0
Mr Geo. Middleton, Cromarty	5	5	0

MID LOTHIAN MILITIA.

At the different second District Meetings of this County, held in terms of the Militia Acts, the persons whose names follow, were drawn by ballot for the parishes after mentioned, as liable to serve, or provide substitutes as the act directs.

CRAMOND.

1. Andrew Wishart, servant to Hugh Miller, tenant in Southrihole.
2. John Hunter, servant to Mrs Allan, Craigcrook.
3. John Arnot, servant to Mr Baron Cockburn, Caroline-Park.
4. William Mason, servant to John Benny, grazier, Upper Cramond.
5. John Niven, servant to Thomas Veitch, tenant, Wester Pilton.
6. Daniel Campbell, servant to Charles Watson, Esq. of Saughton.
7. Joseph Williamson, weaver in Lennymuir.
8. James Bruce, servant to Mrs Allan, Craigcrook.
9. Alexander Binny, grazier, Upper Cramond.

PART OF SOUTH LEITH, without the liberties of Leith.

1. John Sutherland, farmer's servant, Lochend.
2. Joseph Murray, farmer's servant, Filyfidebank.
3. Charles Johnston, gardener's servant, Quarryholes.
4. Robert Toward, shoemaker, Calton.

ST CUTHBERTS.

1. Robert Leggat, skinner, Coltbridge.
2. Robert Currie, servant to Thomas Millar, in Dean.
3. Robert Dickson, servant to John Carse, gardener, Dalry.
4. Robert Thomson, miller, at Saughtonhall Mill.
5. William Drummond, carter, Bell's Mill.
6. Adam Hogg, wright, Craigleith.
7. John Gray, reflecter, Livingston's yards.
8. Mr Watson, student of medicine, at Mr Caple's, tailor, Drummond Street.
9. Nisbet Rutherford, farmer, Dalry.
10. Mark Rule, at Mr Purves, Gibb's Entry, north side.
11. Robert Bruce, at Mrs Carren's, head of Pleasance.
12. John Paterson, wright, at John Gray's wright, Head of Pleasance, west side.
13. Thomas Smellie, gardener, Dalry.
14. Henry Samuel, carter, at Briggs of Braid.
15. Finlay Weir, miller, Cannon Mills.
16. William Waugh, mason, Water of Leith.
17. Alexander Ferguson, carter Causwayside.
18. John baker, at Mr Fernie's.
19. John Knox, servant to the Right Hon. Lord Advocate, George's Square.
20. Adam Richmond, son to James Richmond, nurseryman Tolcross.
21. James Pearson, writer, Head of Pleasance.
22. Duncan Robertson, writer, next Hay's Court.
23. John Gilchrist, carter to Messrs. Haigs, Lochrin.
24. Andrew Greig, shopkeeper, Water of Leith.
25. James Nisbet, weaver, Silver Mills.
26. James Brown, student, at Charles Anderson's shoemaker.
27. Edward Stewart, carter, Briggs of Braid.
28. Urquhart, writer at James M'Cree's, shoemaker Gibb's Entry, south side.
29. Tobby Gilbert, carter to Mr White, Fountain Bridge.
30. George M'Lagan, clerk to Messrs Haig, Lochrin.
31. Mr Anderson, at Mr Creary's, Buccleugh Place.
32. David Hodge, with Mr Robertson.
33. William Brown, servant at Comleybank.
34. George Duncan, writer, Bellfield.
35. Thomas Samuel, miller, Stockbridge.
36. Andrew Williamson, servant to the Right Honourable Lord President, Park Place.
37. George Melrose, baker at Mr Peat's.
38. David Wilson, servant to Mr Davidson, farmer, Blackford.
39. Mr. Hunter, at Mr Creary's, Buccleugh Place.
40. Graham, servant to Mr Haig, Lochrin.

CORSTORPHINE.

1. James Aikenhead, weaver, Claywally.
2. John Anderson, son to Mr Anderson, baker in Corstorphine.
3. James Barrowman, servant to Mr Cleghorn, Corstorphine
4. James Meikle, servant to Mr Ker, Beechwood.
5. John Miller, servant to Mr Slate, farmer, Meadowfield.

COLLINGTON.

1. James Low, servant to John Finnie, farmer at Bowbridge.
2. John M'Whirter, bleacher with Hugh M'Whirter, Inglisgreen Bleachfield.
3. Henry Miles, servant to John Finnie, farmer at Bowbridge.
4. William Blyth, servant to Mr Jardine, at Woodhall Mansion House.
5. Robert Porteous, mason, Collington.
6. John Borthwick, millwright under Thomas Davie, millwright, Collington.

CURRIE.

1. Thomas Eckford, servant at New Miln.
2. William Walker, papermaker, Killeith Paper Mill.
3. James Hannay, wright, Hermiston.
4. William Ruffel, papermaker, Killeith Paper Mill.
5. David Thomson, servant, Currie.
6. James Brown, labourer, Hermiston.
7. Alexander Wilson, papermaker, Balerno Miln.

KIRKNEWTON and EAST CALDER.

1. William Rule, servant to William Forrest, tenant at Lyden.
2. George Muir, servant to Joseph Calder, tenant at Burn-House.
3. Andrew Aitken, journeyman to John Hasting, wright at Kirknewton.
4. Alexander Dalziel, servant to George Laurie, tenant, East Calder.
5. Philip Robertson, servant to John Robertson, tenant in Kirknewton.
6. John Lowden, journeyman to John Hasting, wright in Kirknewton.

RATHO.

1. Robert Dalgleish, servant to John Hill at Nortonmains.
2. William Bintie, wright in Ratho.
3. James , servant to the Honourable Lord Cullen, at Hatton.
4. William Graham, servant to Mr Wilkie at Bonnington.
5. Alexander Cowan, servant to Mr Wood, Dalmahoy Mains

MID CALDER.

1. Alexander Wilson, labourer at Muresston.
2. William Fleming, labourer, Upper Williamston.
3. James Howison, labourer, Greenbank.
4. James Meikle, servant, Mid Calder.
5. Hugh Gardner, servant, Contentibus.
6. William Orr, servant, Newfarm.
7. James Brown, journeyman wright, Mid Calder.

WEST CALDER.

1. Robert Black, labourer, Bust Dyke.
2. John Dunlop, shoemaker, West Calder.
3. Thomas Inglis, labourer, Rushaw.
4. Robert Smith, labourer, at Muirhouse of Burn Grange
5. Walter Mosman, labourer, Crosswoodhill.
6. James Gray, labourer, Doveridge.

BORTHWICK.

1. Thomas Dickson, wright at Mossend.
2. William Ainslie, servant to David Tinto, at Herviston-Mains.
3. William Smith, servant to Mr Cranston at Herviston.
4. William Wares, servant to Mr Herdman at Ford.

TEMPLE.

1. John Hay, Gardener at Arniston

CARRINGTON.

1. Alexander Wilson, servant to James Abernethy tenant in Caldshall.
2. James Bog, labourer at Brockbridge.
3. John Hogg, servant to James Grinton at Cappielaw.

NEWBOTTLE.

1. David Paterson, tailor at Lingerwood.
2. John Thomson, servant to Mr Carfrae at Lawfield.
3. John Taylor, weaver at Newbottle.
4. Alexander Romans, servant to Mr Johnston at Colts.

COCKPEN.

1. William Neil, collier at Bannoridge.
2. Robert Anderson, collier at Bannoridge.
3. Thomas Johnston, servant to Mr Thomson, Dalhousie.
4. James Dickson, servant to Mr Bowie at Cockpen.
5. Andrew Spiers, inndweller at Milnholm.
6. Robert Miller, smith at Brewers Bush.
7. Peter Baillie, musician, Bannoridge.
8. John Thorburn, at Butlerfield.
9. Charles Wilson, tenant in Milnholm.
10. John Gordon, collier at Bannoridge.

HERIOT.

1. John Inglis, jun. tenant in Raisshaw.
2. John Johnston, founder in Edinburgh, Rouchswire.

STOW.

1. Andrew Scott, servant, Bowshank.
2. James Smibert, smith in Stow.
3. James Welth, herd in Overshiels.
4. James Graham, herd in Bow.
5. George Clapperton, jun. Laidlaw Steel.
6. Alexander Murray, ploughman at Hewliston.
7. Thomas Turnbull, jun. tenant in Blackhaugh.
8. James Thomson, ploughman at Castleferry.
9. John Douglas *alias* Thomson, servant Cadenhead.
10. Thomas Bunyan, servant at Eastertown.
11. John White, servant at Croplee.
12. John Laidlaw, servant at Perntaiton.

GLENCORSE.

1. Walter Clerk, servant to Captain Forbes, Greenlaw.
2. Archibald Kidd, wright at Bush.

PENNYCUICK.

1. James Robb, weaver at Kirkhill.
2. John Alexander, ploughman, Cornmill.
3. James Aitken, carter, Fullarton.
4. Alexander Brown, farmer, Tower.
5. James Walker, weaver, Milkhaugh.
6. William Henderson, smith, Kirkhill.
7. Michael Dickson, herd, West Side.
8. William Trotter, weaver, New Stead.

LASWADE.

1. William Hyslop, tailor, Laswade.
2. William Inglis, day-labourer, Loanhead.
3. William Shearer, Firrhank.
4. John Johnston, servant to Dr Abernethney, Hawthornden.
5. William Baad, son of Mr Baad, Firth.
6. David Steel, carter, Loanhead.
7. George Stobie, son to Matthew Stobie, Roslin.
8. John Millar, wright in Laswade.
9. Robert Cochran, carter, Roslin.
10. James Sivan, jun. collier at Loanhead.
11. Joseph Leitch, tailor, Laswade.
12. Peter Simpson, servant to Mr Lees at Polton.
13. James Bain, servant to Mr Mutter, Midlemiln.

INVERESK.

1. James Colville, carter at Backhills.
2. Thomas Cunningham, collier at Craighall colliery.
3. William Sharp, collier at Coalpits colliery.
4. Adam Gill, indweller, Fisherrow.
5. Alexander Hewison, carter at Smeiton.
6. George Blaickie, wright in Musselburgh.
7. William Archibald, weaver in Fisherrow.
8. Robert Lithgow, tailor in Musselburgh.
9. James Drysdale, indweller in Fisherrow.
10. Peter Wilson, cooper, Fisherrow.
11. John Reid, collier at Craighall colliery.
12. William Peaston, weaver in Musselburgh.
13. Robert Robertson, at Mr Emillysgate.
14. James Paterson, carter in Musselburgh.
15. Thomas M'Millan, chaise-driver in Musselburgh.
16. William Greig, labourer in Fisherrow.

NEWTON.

1. Adam Farm, carter at Bankfield.
2. Richard Jack, ploughman at Bellslaw.
3. John Baxter, collier at Squaretown.
4. Hugh Campbell, collier at Backdean.
5. Robert Porteous, carter, Harestones.

LIBBERTON.

1. John Marr, servant to Mr Torrance at Southhouse.
2. Robert Dickson, servant to David Ewart smith in Niddry.
3. Duncan M'Laren, servant to Charles Irvine, Esq. Morton.
4. John Kerson, servant to Mr Aitchison, Niddry.
5. Archibald Marshall, servant to Mr Cunningham, Upper Libberton.
6. Andrew Goodlatt, servant to Robert Muirhead, wright, North Libberton.
7. Hunter Ross, collier at Gilmerton.
8. George Anderson, collier at Gilmerton.
9. Robert Haigs, weaver at Burdiehouse.
10. William Shaw, carter at Brokenbridge.
11. Robert Kinlay, collier at Hunter's-hall.
12. William Knox, journeyman gardener at Mordun.
13. David Lamb, servant to Mr Rob, at Muirhouse.
14. John Brown, blacksmith, Greenend.
15. Robert Simpson, servant to Mr Keith, at Gracemount.

DUDDINGSTON.

1. John Balks, servant to Mr Thomson, East Duddingston.
2. George Knight, labourer, Duddingston.
3. Mathew Foggo, servant to Mr Thomson, East Duddingston.

DALKEITH.

1. Robert Wilson, wright in Dalkeith.
2. Robert Haig, smith in Dalkeith.
3. John Giffin, tobacconist, Dalkeith.
4. William Christie, baker, Dalkeith.
5. John Wilson, smith, Dalkeith.
6. Benjamin Robertson, miller, Corn Mills, Dalkeith.
7. James Hillston, baker, Dalkeith.
8. James Campbell, day-labourer, Dalkeith.
9. Henry Cribs, gardener, Dalkeith.
10. William Sutherland, sadler, Dalkeith.
11. Robert Dickson, shoemaker, Dalkeith.
12. Thomas Laidlaw, shoemaker, Dalkeith.

FALA.

1. Donald Fraser, servant at Upper Brotherston.
2. Robert Mitchell, servant at Fala Southmains.

CRICHTON.

1. Hugh Stenhouse, blacksmith, Pathhead.
2. Jasper Knowles, servant to Mr Anderson, Turneydikes.
3. Thomas M'Laren, servant to Mr Fothringham, Crichton Dean.
4. James Baillie, tailor, Gardener's hall.
5. Gilbert Sinclair, student, Longfaugh.
6. Alexander Hardie, cooper, Pathhead.

CRANSTON.

1. Walter Lough, farmer's son, Peatstonburn.
2. David Cornwall, collier, Over Cranston.
3. Thomas Nacsmith, servant, Remote.
4. John Todd, servant, Whitehouse.
5. Alexander Scott, ploughman, Muttonhole.

And whereas lists of the above persons, liable to serve in each parish, were delivered to the schoolmasters, for the purpose of being notified to all concerned, and whereas several persons may have removed from the place and parish where his name was inserted in the lists when first taken up, and lest such persons cannot come to the knowledge of such intimation, or cannot be found to have the after necessary notices served upon them, this method is taken to intimate to all the above mentioned persons, that they are now drawn by ballot, and liable to serve in the Militia of this County, and they are hereby required to hold themselves in readiness to appear, or produce substitutes able and fit for service, and to be approved of, whenever the Lord Lieutenant of the County, and his Grace's Deputy Lieutenants shall get orders to call upon them, al under the penalties specified in the Militia Acts for Scotland.

BUCCLEUCH, Lord Lieutenant.
WILL. MACFARLANE, C. G. M.

ROYAL EDINBURGH LIGHT DRAGOONS.

THE OFFICERS and COMMITTEE of the Royal Edinburgh Volunteer Light Dragoons, think it their duty publicly to intimate, that in consequence of an advertisement issued by the Lords Lieutenants of the county and city, they have opened regular DRILLS for the instruction of such Gentlemen as may come forward, in compliance with so public a call from those to whom the management of the public defence in this part of the country is entrusted.

Gentlemen requesting admission into the Corps may apply by letter to the Commanding Officer, No. 32, Queen Street, or Walter Scott, Esq. Secretary to the Corps, No. 50, George Street.

LETTERS ON CONVEYANCING.

MR BELL will, this Summer, deliver a COURSE of LECTURES on CONVEYANCING, which will be finished on the 12th July.

The first Lecture will be given on Tuesday the 15th curt. at two o'clock, in the Signet Hall.

BANK STOCK.

SEVERAL SHARES of the CAPITAL STOCK of the BANK of SCOTLAND to be SOLD.

Apply to Mess. A. Abercromby and Mr Walker, writers to the signet.

ANDERSON AND LIVINGSTON,
AT HOPE & ANCHOR, No. 9. SOUTH BRIDGE STREET,
EDINBURGH,

RESPECTFULLY give notice, That they have just got to hand, from the different Manufacturing Towns in England and Scotland, a neat and well chosen Assortment of HABERDASHERY and LINEN DRAPERY GOODS suited to the Season, which they can with confidence, recommend to their Customers and the Public, as being, at least, equal in quality, and as low in price, as goods of the same description, at any sale in the kingdom.

The following are a few of the leading articles:

Printed Callicoes and Muslins, from 12d. to 6s. per yard.
Ginghams, Muslinets, and Dimitties.
India and British Muslins.
White Callicoes and Cotton Shirtings.
Linens, Sheetings, and Cambrics.
Printed Callicoes for Furniture.
English Blankets and Bed Quilts, &c.

A. L. would, in a particular manner, recommend their present assortment of

RICH BLACK MODES AND LUTESTRINGS,

being particularly connected with one of the most reputable Houses in London, whose sole attention is directed towards the Manufacture of BLACK SILKS only.

What remains of the Stock of Goods purchased of the late Company of INGLIS and ANDERSON, will be sold *cheap*.

☞ Dealers served on the best terms.
*** Commissions pointedly answered.
†‡ MILLINERY Work neat and Fashionable.

To be SOLD by public roup, on Wednesday 9th, and Thursday 10th curt. in the Edinburgh Coffeehouse, opposite to King's Arms Tavern, High Street,

A Great variety of MENS and WOMENS APPAREL; BED and TABLE LINEN; Silver and Gilt WATCHES; Ornamental CHINA; with Mirrors, Tables, Carpets, and other articles of Household Furniture.—Positively ready money to all except brokers, who will have three months credit for bills with surety, above three pounds.

Mrs M'DONALD, Auctioneer.

For Charlestown, South Carolina, and Savannah in Georgia,

The British Armed Ship
A M E L I A,
DANIEL FERGUSON Master,
Mounting 14 carriage guns mostly 12 pounders, and a fast sailer, will be clear to receive goods on board by the 1st May, and to sail by the 1st June.

For freight or passage, apply to Mr John Finlayson, Glasgow, or to ADAM & MATHIE,

Who have on sale most part of said ship's cargo, from Savannah, consisting of Georgia Tea, Island Cotton, Tobacco, Rice Deer Skins, Indigo, Canes, and Staves.

☞ A few stout Lads are wanted as Apprentices.

Greenock 20th April, 1798.

AT LEITH—FOR LONDON,
The Union Shipping Co's Armed Smacks,
EDINBURGH & BERWICK PACKET,
WILLIAM COOPER Master,
AND
BERWICKSHIRE PACKET,
JAMES CUMMINS Master,

Will take in goods, the Edinburgh and Berwick till Wednesday morning, at eight o'clock, when she will sail; and the Berwickshire till Saturday evening, and sail on Sunday at 11 o'clock forenoon.

Union Shipping Company's Office,
Leith, 7th May, 1798.

SALE OF HOUSES IN STORNAWAY
AT A REDUCED UPSET PRICE.

To be SOLD by public roup, within John's Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 13th day of June next, between the hours of six and seven o'clock afternoon,

THAT DWELLING-HOUSE, fronting the Shore of Stornaway, which belonged to Mr Murdoch M'Auly, merchant there, of two stories and garrets, and consisting of seven fire-rooms and kitchen, besides closets and other conveniencies, with a small garden behind.

And an adjoining DWELLING-HOUSE of one storey and garrets, consisting of three fire-rooms and kitchen, and which is rented at 9l. 10s. per annum, till Martinmas 1799.

Also an Unfinished HOUSE adjoining, of two stories, with joisting, and ready for the roof, of larger dimensions than the first mentioned house.

The whole hold of Lord Seaforth, for payment of 9s. 10d. 2-3ds of feu-duty.

Mr Roderick M'Iver, jun. merchant in Stornaway, will show the premises, and for further particulars, application may be made to Cosmo Falconer, writer in Edinburgh.

GREAT BRITAIN

WILL cover this season at Noblehouse, at Two Guineas a mare, and half a crown to the Groom.

Great Britain was got by Marquis, his dam by Adamant, his grand-dam by Old Dragon, out of Miss Fanny. He is a beautiful bright bay horse, eight years old, full fifteen hands high, with uncommon bone and strength, and free of blemish; is allowed by all judges that have seen him very promising to get every kind of stock, as few horses can equal him for good temper, vigour, or strong constitution. He has covered three seasons, is very fruitful, and the colts of his get from blooded mares are strong, healthy, and handsome, and those from common mares very promising, and have sold at high prices.

DR ARNOLD'S PILLS,

WHICH (tho' mild and innocent in their nature) have been found, by long experience, to be an infallible remedy for every species of venereal infection, without confinement or restraint of diet, and have affected cures when all other methods would not avail—Printed directions, signed by Dr Arnold, are inclosed with each box, which will enable all persons to cure themselves with perfect secrecy and safety. The above PILLS may be had of

Mr SCOTT, Apothecary, South Bridge, Edinburgh;
Mr M'Donald, Glasgow;—and Mr Phorson, Berwick, at 2s. 9d. or 5s. 5d. a box;—where may be had, Dr Arnold's Nervous Restorative DROPS for impaired constitutions, whether proceeding from age or intemperance, price 5s. 5d.

ARTICLES OF CHARGE,

Exhibited against Captain JOHN CAMERON of the North Fencible Highlanders, at a General Court Martial, held within the Castle of Edinburgh, on the 12th day of March 1798, and continued by adjournments, till the 26th day of the said month, together with the opinion and sentence of the said Court Martial.

CHARGES.

I. For unjustifiably and falsely accusing and charging his Commanding Officer of injustice and ill usage done him in respect to his leave of absence.

II. Of further injustice done him, in sending him on detachment when acting paymaster, and not relieving him from that duty.

III. For unjustly and falsely charging him with giving leave to Captain Price Lockhart Gordon of the same regiment, and thereby affecting his, Captain Cameron's leave of absence.

IV. For complaining unjustly I did not attend to his application for leave to come to Ayr on his business as paymaster, and confining and limiting my leave to three days.

V. For not making his complaint in a proper, respectful, and regular manner, according to the first article of the 12th section of the articles of war, but when first for officially on other business at paymaster and which was then discussing, and to which it could have no immediate relation, publicly, wantonly, and disrespectfully accusing his Commanding Officer of ill usage, as resited in the former different charges, not only in the presence of, but in direct reference and appeal to the officers of the regiment ordered and assembled there on the same business, in his barrack-room, appropriated to the transaction of all public and regimental business; and thereby failing in respect and propriety to, and lessening in weight, consideration, and authority, his Commanding Officer.

ON COMPLAINT OF OFFICERS COMMANDING COMPANIES.

For stopping, without any order for so doing, and in the face of his Majesty's late gracious regulation, two full days pay from each non-commissioned officer, and soldiers, from the next money ordered to be daily paid to the men, and to be actually received by them, thereby, not issuing as paymaster, the due subsistence, or the actual nett pay, and embarrassing by it, and making it difficult for the officers commanding companies to pay their men correctly and according to orders, when at the same time he had retained in his own hands, a stoppage made by the order of the Commanding Officer, under the head of necessaries; contrary to the directions given by the Commanding Officer to officers commanding companies, and to his opinion notified to him, the acting paymaster.

For making the above stoppage from every company but his own, and for sending, or ordering to be sent to the out detachments, particular instructions that no stoppages were to be made from his company; likely thereby to promote and create discontent and murmuring amongst the soldiers, as to equal payments and stoppages.

For evasion of orders, if not actual disobedience of them, and for irregularity and incorrectness in not properly stating this himself in the monthly certificate roll of his company, as well as the actual state of his men's debts, stating only, and therefore evasively, that there were no debts in the books against the men, when there was this charge of two days pay standing against them, which had been advanced and paid for them, and ought to have been debited in the books, and which every other man of every other company that could be cleared with, had been charged in their books, and had even repaid in consequence of the deduction made in the abstracts by him as acting paymaster.

For throwing a disgraceful aspersion on the character and conduct of the officers commanding companies, in publicly declaring to his Commanding Officer, in the presence of many officers, that he would prove there were but *three* officers paying companies who were not indebted to their men, and some of them to the amount of fifty pounds and upwards.

That such an aspersion appears not only unwarrantable from the books, and the certificate rolls of the companies, but was hurtful to his Majesty's service, in affecting and lessening, if not actually destroying the confidence soldiers ought to repose in the honour and integrity of their officers, and was at the same time subversive of subordination and obedience.

For threatening to bring this accusation forward only in case the officers persisted to demand the full subsistence of their companies, and for not giving the information at a proper time, or in a proper manner to his Commanding Officer, to enable him, either to prevent, correct, or bring to punishment, such abuses.

For implicating in the said assertion a degree of neglect in his Commanding Officer, the Lieutenant Colonel of the regiment in not having taken due care that the men were properly paid and cleared with, and that all or part of the certificate rolls signed and given in by such commanding officers were false, to the great disgrace of such officers, and to the hurt and discredit of his Majesty's service.

That when called upon by his Commanding Officer, in his letter of 30th January 1798, with a copy of the representation made to him in the name of the officers commanding companies to return to it an immediate answer, he made his apology for not doing it at the moment, but promised in his letter of the same date to send one in the course of the next day, yet notwithstanding he wholly neglected so to do, and disobediently, and disrespectfully; therefore withheld any further answer which was afterwards due to his Commanding Officer, in order to enable him to make a proper report to his Colonel; or the Commander in Chief, or to take such other steps as the case would admit, or his duty required.

For exciting and promoting in the barracks at Glasgow in March 1797, combination against the Lieutenant Colonel, his Commanding Officer, and for making an unjustifiable, unauthorised, and improper use of his Colonel's the Duke of Gordon's name, to aid and sanction his purpose on that occasion.

For disrespectful, improper, and slighting behaviour to his Commanding Officer in the line of his duty.

(Signed) JOHN WOODFORD,
Lieut. Col. N. F. Highlanders.

OPINION AND SENTENCE.

The Court having maturely considered the charges on the part of the prosecutor Lieutenant-Colonel John Woodford, and the defences stated against the same by Captain John Cameron, together with the whole evidence both in support of the charges, and defences, and having weighed with the utmost attention the whole matters before them, are of the opinions hereafter following on the several charges.

On Charge First.

The Court, in respect of the particular circumstances of the case, and that it appears to them, that the prosecutor was sufficiently warranted to have granted the prisoner his leave of absence, in consequence of the discretionary power left to him both by Lord Adam Gordon, and by the Lord Lieutenant of the county of Ayr; are therefore of opinion, that no criminality attaches to the prisoner on this article of charge.

On Charge Second.

The Court are of opinion, that this charge is utterly frivolous, and unsupported by the evidence, and therefore they *acquit* Captain Cameron of the same.

On Charge Third.

The Court find it proved, that Captain Cameron made the complaint charged, and that the same was unfounded; but that it was not falsely made on the part of the prisoner, as it proceeded on an erroneous supposition of his, that the leave of absence given to Captain Price Lockhart Gordon, had actually been granted by the prosecutor, but on being informed that it was not so, he made no farther complaint. The Court are therefore of opinion, that although the complaint on the part of the prisoner was rashly made, yet as it appears to them, that it was prompted by no intention to throw any insult or wilful disrespect on his Commanding Officer; therefore they *acquit* him of the substance of the charge.

On Charge Fourth.

The Court are of opinion, that the charge is frivolous, and that no blame attaches to Captain Cameron on that score, and therefore the *acquit* him of the same.

On Charge Fifth.

The Court are of opinion, that Captain Cameron did not make his complaint in a proper, regular, or respectful manner, but used a warmth and intemperance of expression, which he acknowledges on cool reflection, he himself thought improper to be used to his Commanding Officer; and they are of opinion, that Captain Cameron is *censurable* on that account.

ON THE
CHARGES BROUGHT ON COMPLAINT OF OFFICERS.

On Branch First.

The Court are of opinion, that the charge is not proved, and therefore they *acquit* Captain Cameron of the same.

On Branch Second.

The Court are of opinion, that the charge is irrelevant and frivolous and therefore they *acquit* Captain Cameron of the same.

On Branch Third.

The Court are of opinion, that no criminality attaches to Captain Cameron on this charge, it appearing to them, that his omitting to put his own company under ſtoppage, at the ſame time with the reſt, was not done with any improper intention, and that no bad conſequences thence followed; therefore they *acquit* Captain Cameron of the ſaid charge.

On Branches Fourth and Sixth.

The Court find it proved, that Captain Cameron made uſe of the expreſſions or aſſertion alluded to in the former of theſe charges; and find it likewiſe proved, that he threatened to bring forward that accuſation in caſe the officers demanded the full pay; and they are of opinion, that Captain Cameron is *cenſurable* on that account.

On Branches Fifth and Seventh.

The Court are of opinion, that the conſideration of theſe branches of charge is exhauſted in that of fourth and ſixth.

On Branch Eighth.

The Court are of opinion, that no criminality attaches to Captain Cameron on account of this charge, he being at that period under arreſt on account of the five firſt articles of charge.

On the Additional Charge.

The Court are of opinion, that the fact of promoting a combination among the officers is proved by the priſoner's own admiſſion; and although they are bound to expreſs their opinion of the reprehenſible nature of all combinations, yet in reſpect of the peculiar circumſtances of this caſe, the formal reconciliation which had taken place between the parties, and the time that had elapſed between the alledged offence and the bringing forward the preſent charges, they are of opinion that no criminality attaches to Captain Cameron on thoſe accounts.—Of the latter part of the charge, the alledged improper uſe made by him of the Duke of Gordon's name, the Court entirely *acquit* Captain Cameron of the ſame.

On the whole, the Court are of opinion, that although, on ſome of the preceding charges, a degree of blame attaches to Captain Cameron, for which they find him *cenſurable*, and on that account do hereby adjudge him to be *reprimanded* in ſuch manner as to his Majeſty, or to the Commander in Chief may ſeem proper; yet as on the greateſt part of the preceding charges he ſtands *acquitted* of all criminality, and that many of the ſaid charges appear to have been groundleſsly and improperly brought, and are of a nature to frivolous that they ought not to have been made the ſubject of judicial diſcuſſion, it is with regret that the Court have found themſelves under the neceſſity of awarding any puniſhment on an officer of Captain Cameron's approved merit and long ſervices; and therefore they humbly beg leave to recommend him to his Majeſty's clemency.

ARTICLES OF CHARGE,

Exhibited againſt Captain and Adjutant JOHN ROY, of the ſecond battalion of the 4th Fencible Regiment, at a General Court Martial, held in the Caſtle of Edinburgh, on the 26th day of March 1798, and continued by ſeveral adjournments, till the 3d day of April following, together with the ſentence of the ſaid Court Martial.

CHARGES.

I. Preſenting falſe returns to Lieutenant Colonel Campbell at Aberdeen, on the 27th May 1796, for his ſignature, knowing them to be falſe.

II. Diſloyal and unofficerlike behaviour, in endeavouring to prevent the men of his battalion from entering into the voluntary contribution propoſed in the regiment, for the ſupport of Government.

III. Refuſing, on frivolous pretences, to ſign the Adjutant's certificate to the paymaſter's liſts, from 25th January to 24th February 1798, and thereby unneceſſarily obſtructing the ſettlement of the public accounts of the regiment.

IV. Diſreſpectful behaviour to Lieutenant Colonel Campbell at Dyſart on the 2d March 1798, and diſreſpectful and inſolent behaviour to Major Campbell at Kirkcaldy and Dyſart, on the 1ſt and 2d of the ſame month.

V. For breach of arreſt under the following circumſtances.—Captain Roy had been put in arreſt by Major Campbell on the 2d day of March—on Friday the 9th day of March, about one o'clock, Captain Roy ſent Lieutenant Donald Macinnes, acting Adjutant, to Lieutenant Colonel Campbell, with a letter, requeſting his leave to go to Edinburgh; Lieutenant Colonel Campbell deſired the acting Adjutant to tell him he ſhould have an anſwer in the courſe of the day; notwithſtanding which, Captain Roy, without waiting for any anſwer, and without any leave, thought proper to go over from Kirkcaldy to Edinburgh, about three o'clock that very day, and he remained in Edinburgh till the 17th of March, when he returned to Kirkcaldy, without leave.—Alſo for having in a memorial to the Secretary at War, dated Kirkcaldy, 3d March 1798, prayed that he would have the goodneſs to order him, Captain Roy, to be releaſed from his cloſe confinement, although on his ſending a meſſage to Major Campbell by a Mr Elliot of Kirkcaldy, he had been previouſly informed, that he ſhould have every indulgence as to air and exerciſe, which was uſually granted to perſons in his ſituation.

SENTENCE.

The Court having maturely conſidered the charges on the part of the proſecutors, Lieutenant Colonel Duncan Campbell, and Major Colin Campbell, and the defences ſtated againſt the ſame by Captain and Adjutant John Roy, together with the whole evidence both in ſupport of the charges and defences; and having weighed with the utmoſt attention the whole matters before them, are of the opinions hereafter following on the ſeveral diſtinct charges.

On Charge Firſt.

The Court are of opinion, that although, in the circumſtances appearing in evidence, the preſenting of the return on the 27th of May 1796, to Lieutenant Colonel Campbell, was attended with ſome irregularity, yet as there appears to have been no improper or blameable intention on the part of Captain Roy in this matter; and as ſo long a period of time had elapſed ſince the commiſſion of that act, which is the ground of the charge, and that it is proved that a formal adjuſtment of all difference, and reconciliation had taken place between Lieutenant Colonel Campbell and the priſoner, therefore the Court acquit Captain Roy of all criminality on this article of charge.

On Charge Second.

The Court entirely acquit Captain Roy of the charge of harbouring any ſentiments of diſloyalty; and although they are of opinion, that ſome of his expreſſions were unguarded and improper, yet as they ſee no evidence that he uſed any endeavours to prevent the men of this battalion from joining in the general contribution for the ſupport of Government; therefore they *acquit* him of the ſubſtance of this charge.

On Charge Third.

The Court are of opinion, that Captain Roy is *guilty* of the charge of refuſing, on frivolous pretences, to ſign the Adjutant's certificate to the paymaſter's liſts, from 25th January to 24th February 1798.

On Charge Fourth.

The Court are of opinion, that Captain Roy is *guilty* of diſreſpectful behaviour, both to Lieutenant Colonel Campbell and Major Campbell, at the periods mentioned in the charge, but hey *acquit* him of the accuſation of inſolence of behaviour to Major Campbell.

On Charge Fifth.

With reſpect to the firſt branch of this charge, the Court are of opinion, that when the whole circumſtances of the caſe are taken into conſideration, there was, ſtrictly ſpeaking, no breach of arreſt in Captain Roy's leaving Kirkcaldy on the 9th March to come to Edinburgh, nor any intentional offence in his again returning to Kirkcaldy on the 17th, and therefore they *acquit* him of this branch of the charge.

With reſpect to the latter branch of this charge, the Court are of opinion, that captain Roy acted improperly, in making any complaint on the ſcore of being in cloſe confinement, before he had made application to his Commanding Officer to know what was the extent and nature of of his arreſt. They therefore find, that the complaint, in ſo far as it regarded the cloſe confinement of the priſoner, was unfounded and improper: But at the ſame time, they are of opinion, that there is no evidence that this complaint, by memorial to the Secretary at War, was made as ſtated in the charge, after the priſoner had been informed that he was to have every indulgence uſually granted to perſons in his ſituation.

On the whole, the Court, in conſideration of the above opinions, pronounced by them on the different articles of charge, while they have with much ſatisfaction to themſelves, abſolved Captain Roy of all criminality, touching ſome of the above heads of accuſation, have found themſelves under the neceſſity of declaring him culpable in the particulars ſpecified in their opinions on the third, fourth, and a branch of the fifth articles of charge; they therefore find themſelves bound by their duty, to award an adequate puniſhment. And they do hereby adjudge Captain and Aujutant Roy, to be ſuſpended from rank and pay, in both his Commiſſions, for the ſpace of Six Months from the date of this ſentence: But, in conſideration of his good character as a man, and as an officer, his long and uſeful ſervices, and that a wife and numerous family, together with his aged parents, reſt entirely on him for their ſupport, the Court, therefore, moſt humbly recommend him to his Majeſty's clemency.

Adjutant General's Office, Edinburgh, 3d May 1798.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The proceedings of the aforeſaid General Court Martial, for the trial of Captain John Cameron of the North Fencible Highlanders, upon the ſundry articles of charge exhibited againſt him, having been laid before the King, his Majeſty has entirely approved of the deciſion of the Court Martial, and, graciouſly attending to their recommendation, has been pleaſed to diſpenſe with the reprimand awarded by the ſentence, and to direct, that the ſaid Captain John Cameron be reſtored to his duty in the regiment.

And the proceedings of the ſame General Court Martial, for the trial of Captain and Adjutant John Roy, of the ſecond battalion of the 4th Fencible Regiment, upon the ſundry articles of charge exhibited againſt him, having alſo been laid before the King, his Majeſty has approved of the opinion of the Court Martial upon the ſaid charges reſpectively, as likewiſe of the ſentence deemed by them neceſſary for the upholding of diſcipline; which ſentence, his Majeſty would therefore not have been diſpoſed, even at the recommendation of the Court Martial, wholly to remit, had not the peculiar circumſtances of the defendant's giving ſupport to a wife and family of nine children, and to two aged parents, pleaded powerfully in his behalf; but from a compaſſionate regard to them, who muſt inevitably ſuffer from a ſuſpenſion, even of ſhort duration, his Majeſty, at the ſame time, attending to his former good ſervices, has been graciouſly pleaſed to direct, that he be forthwith reſtored to the functions and pay of his commiſſions as Captain and Adjutant.

His Majeſty, adverting to what has in ſome meaſure appeared in the courſe of both theſe trials, has expreſſed his extreme diſapprobation of keeping charges againſt an officer or ſoldier in reſerve, until they ſhall have accumulated, and then bringing them before a General Court Martial collectively; whereas every charge ſhould be preferred at the time when the fact or facts on which it turns are recent; or, if knowingly paſſed over, ought not, either in candour or in juſtice, to be in future brought into queſtion.

Another circumſtance on which his Majeſty has been pleaſed to remark (applicable to the firſt of theſe trials) is the great inconvenience reſulting to the ſervice, from bringing before General Courts Martial, charges which, after a long and ſolemn inveſtigation, turn out to be light and frivolous.

It is General Lord Adam Gordon's order, that the foregoing articles of charge, opinions, and ſentences, with his Majeſty's pleaſure ſignified thereupon, be circulated and read to all the regular, fencible, and militia forces in North Britain.

By General Lord ADAM GORDON's Command.
ALEXR. MACKAY, D.A.G

SALE OF LANDS IN STIRLINGSHIRE

ADJOURNED AS TO CERTAIN PARTS.

THE SALE of the LANDS of BLACKDUB & CORNTOWN, parts of the Eſtate of Airthrey, which was advertiſed for Wedneſday next, the 9th of May current, IS ADJOURNED to a future day;—but will proceed next Wedneſday, as to the Principal Lot of AIRTHREY, and certain Parts of the Lands of SPITTAL and PENDREICH, in terms of the former advertiſements.

BY ADJOURNMENT.

PART OF THE EARL OF ERROLL's ESTATE,

IN ABERDEEN-SHIRE.

To be SOLD by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouſe, Edinburgh, upon Wedneſday the 13th June 1798, at one o'clock afternoon,

THAT PART of the ESTATE of CRUDEN which lies upon the ſouth ſide of the Water of Cruden, being Lot I. of the Lands formerly advertiſed for ſale, and which conſiſts of about 1640 acres, together with the excluſive right and privilege of caſting peats and ſods upon fifty-ſix acres of the moſs of Greens of Auguharnie and Burnthill, which are ſpecially ſet apart for that purpoſe.

At the deſire of ſeveral perſons who have been making enquiries after this lot, there are to be added thereto, the KIRK CROFTS, and Part of the LANDS of ASHALLOW, ſo as to make the great road leading from Aberdeen to Peterhead, by Waterſide, the eaſt boundary of this property.

Theſe lands are very low rented, and nearly all out of leaſe. They contain an inexhauſtible ſtore of ſand of a calcareous nature, which has been uſed by the preſent tenants with much ſucceſs. Their other advantages were mentioned in former advertiſements, which are here referred to.

For further particulars enquire at Mr Wauchope, writer to the ſigner, Edinburgh, or Mr William Alexander, at Nether Mill of Cruden, by Ellon, factor upon the eſtate, either of whom will furniſh a particular rental, and ſhew the plan and meaſurement of the lands.

NOTICE

TO THE EARL OF ERROL's CREDITORS.

THE Creditors of GEORGE EARL of ERROLL are requeſted immediately to lodge with Thomas Swinton, at Mr Wauchope's, writer to the ſignet, Edinburgh, the grounds and documents of their debts, with affidavits or oaths on the verity thereof, in order that a ſcheme of diviſion may be made out therefrom of a dividend, which will be begun to be paid to the creditors by Mr Wauchope upon Monday the 2d July next.

A ſecond dividend will be paid in the month of January 1799, when it is probable that there may be funds for the diſcharge of the whole of the ſaid Earl's debts.

N. B.—Such of the creditors as do not produce, as before deſired, between and the 15th May curt. will be cut out of the firſt dividend.

TO BE SOLD,

And entered to at Martinmas next, or ſooner if wiſhed for, within the Royal Exchange Coffee Houſe Edinr. on Wedneſday the 20th day of June next, betwixt the hours of one and two afternoon—

THE FARM of CLINKMILN, ſituated within a mile of the town of Cupar, in the county of Fife.

It conſiſts in whole of upwards of eighty Engliſh acres. It is all ſubſtantially incloſed, and divided into eighty fields, principally with ſtone and lime walls, in good repair, and each of them is well watered. It is preſently in excellent order.

There is a ſteading of Houſes on it, ſufficient for the accommodation of a tenant, and though let on a leaſe current till the term of Martinmas 1815 (for 194l. 4s. 3d. ſterling of money rent, with eleven hens or ducks, the tenant being likewiſe bound to drive nine cart loads of coals carriage free yearly, or in the proprietor's option, to pay 1s. ſterling for each hen, or duck, and 3s. ſterling for each cart load of coals), the tenant has granted an obligation to renounce the poſſeſſion of it, at any period during the leaſe, when required ſo to do by the Proprietor, of which a purchaſer will have it in his power, to avail himſelf, if he judges it proper.

There is a good whin ſtone quarry on theſe lands, and a command of water ſufficient for carrying on the buſineſs of a diſtillery, or other work requiring ſuch accommodation, which from their local ſituation, might be advantageouſly done.

As alſo, the PROPERTY in Cupar Muir, which belongs to Mr James Robertſon of Balgarvie, lying about a mile weſt from Cupar—It conſiſts of between 40 and 50 acres, about 16 of them have been lately trenched, dunged, limed, and laid down properly in graſs, the reſt of them is occupied by a remarkable fine thriving fir wood about 30 years old.

There has been built and finiſhed ſubſtantially, within theſe three years, a dwelling houſe, ſtable, and byre, on this property. There is a free ſtone quarry on it which never has been wrought, and it forms a ſquare, affords an elegant ſituation for a gentleman of taſte to build on, and is incloſed by a ditch, a thriving hedge, and a ſtrong railing.

A purchaſer may have immediate acceſs to this laſt property and further particulars may be learned by applying to Edward Bruce, clerk to the ſignet.

Clinkmiln will be ſhewn by David Birrel, the tenant of it, and the property in Cupar Muir, by Alexander Orme, tenant in Weſter Balgarvie.

MEMEL TIMBER TO BE SOLD.

ABOUT A THOUSAND FEET Beſt Memel Timber, juſt now imported in the Neptune, Captain Lambert, at Alloa. Apply to John Glas and Son, merchants in Stirling.
May 5. 1798.

SALE OF LANDS IN EAST LOTHIAN,

AND A HOUSE IN EDINBURGH.

To be SOLD by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouſe in Edinburgh, upon Wedneſday the 9th May curt. at one o'clock afternoon,

I.—THE LANDS of WESTER BLANCE, extending to Six Huſband Lands or thereby, lying within the pariſh of Salton, and lordſhip and barony of Yeſter, holding feu of a ſubject ſuperior for payment of a ſmall feu-duty. The lands are ſaid to meaſure about 175 acres. They lie about three miles to the ſouth-weſt of Haddington, are in the immediate neighbourhood of coal and lime, and have advantage of good roads to every quarter. The purchaſer will get acceſs to the natural poſſeſſion at the ſeparation of the enſuing crop from the ground.

II.—A DWELLING-HOUSE, being the fourth ſtorey of the ſtone tenement entering within the head of Cant's Cloſe, and fronting the High Street, Edinburgh, conſiſting of four rooms, kitchen, cellar, and other conveniencies, preſently poſſeſſed by Mr Robert Kerr, haberdaſher, at the yearly rent of 10l. Sterling.

The articles of roup are in the hands of Mr. Taylor, W. S. b whom, or to John Robertſon, accomptant, application may e made as to further particulars, or with reſpect to private ſale.

LANDS IN PERTHSHIRE,

TO BE SOLD.

THE Lands and Eſtate of KINCARDINE, with the extenſive Woods thereof, and certain Croſts, within the burgh of Ochterarder, lying in the pariſhes of Blackford and Ochterarder, and ſhire of Perth, halfway between Perth and Stirling.

The lands are capable of very great improvement, at a moderete expence, and there are excellent ſituations for a manſion houſe.

The preſent rent is above 400l. and the leaſes expire at Whitſunday 1802.

It affords a freehold qualification in the county

The title-deeds, rentals, and tacks are in the hands of Mr Campbell, St James's Square.

JUDICIAL SALE OF LANDS IN ROSS-SHIRE.

To be expoſed to public roup and ſale, before the Lord Ordinary on the bills, within the New Seſſion Houſe, Edinburgh, on the 17th day of June next, betwixt the hours of four and ſix afternoon,

THE TOWNS and LANDS of AULTBEA, DRUMCHORKE, Salmon Fiſhing thereof, Teanafilen and Blairmore, all lying within the pariſh of Gerloch and Sheriffdom of Roſs, belonging to Captain John Mackenzie of Grunziard.

The total free rental, ſtock and teind, to which laſt the proprietor has alſo right, when taken ſome time ago, extended, after deducting 4l. 14. 4d. for the public burdens, to 120l. 17s 7d. 3-12ths Sterling, which being valued at 25 years purchaſe the upſet price is 3022l. 1d. 3-12ths. Sterling.

But it is informed, that ſince the judicial rental was taken, the lands have riſen to about 160l. of groſs rent; and from their great extent, and local ſituation in the neighbourhood of the thriving fiſhing ſtation of Ullapool, eſtabliſhed by the Britiſh Society, a further conſiderable increaſe of rent may be expected, were leaſes to be given. The lands alſo extend a conſiderable way along the ſea coaſt, but no value is put upon the kelp in the above rental.

The articles and conditions of roup, titles, and printed copies of the memorial and abſtract of the rental, may be had at the office of Mr Alexander Roſs, depute clerk of ſeſſion, or of Mr Horne, W. S. Argyle Square.

AN ESTATE IN ANGUS TO BE SOLD.

On Saturday the 11th day of Auguſt next, betwixt the hours of three and four afternoon, there is to be expoſed to Sale, within the houſe of John Hunter, vinter in Forfar,

ALL and Whole the Town and Lands of DUMBARROW and WINDY-EDGE, Mill, Mill-lands, Multures, and Sequels, with the Manor-place, Tiends, Parſonage, and Vicarage, all lying in the lordſhip and late regality of Aberbrothock, pariſh of Dunnichen, and ſheriffdom of Forfar, about mid-way betwixt the towns of Forfar and Arbroath, at the diſtance of about ſix miles from each of theſe places, and only at a little more diſtance from Montroſe and Brechin.

The eſtate conſiſts of betwixt ſix and ſeven hundred acres of land, all arable, and in a high ſtate of cultivation, excepting a few acres. The rental is upwards of L. 400 ſterling. The lands hold of the Crown, and are valued in the Ceſs-books at L. 545 : 8 : 3 Scots, ſo they afford more than a freehold qualification; ſeveral of the leaſes are of ſhort duration, and upon expiry thereof a conſiderable riſe of rent may be depended on.

There is upon the eſtate a ſubſtantial Manſion-houſe, fit to accommodate a genteel family, which was built within theſe few years.

Thomas Alexander at Eaſt Hills of Carmyllie, near Dumbarrow, will ſhew the lands; and for further particulars, application may be made to James Walker, writer in Forfar, factor on the eſtate, with whom the tacks, rental, and title deeds (which are clear and unexceptionable) are lodged.

FARMS IN ROXBURGHSHIRE.

To be LET for 19 years,

THE FARM of UPPER NISBET, preſently poſſeſſed by John Young, and conſiſting of upwards of 200 Engliſh acres, the greateſt part of which is rich arable ground, and the reſt good paſture lands, which are capable of great improvement.

As alſo,

The Two Farms of NETHER NISBET, as preſently poſſeſſed by Thomas and Adam Scott, and conſiſting of about 520 Engliſh acres of rich arable ground.—Theſe two will be let in one farm.

Theſe farms lie in the pariſh of Crailling, and are pleaſantly ſituated on the banks of the river Tiviot, within four miles of Jedburgh and ſix miles of Kelſo.

The houſes and graſs may be entered to at Whitſunday next, and the arable lands at the ſeparation of the preſent crop from the grounds. The ſuperior excellence of the lands in point of ſoil and climate is ſo well known as not to require to be pointed out.

J. Wilſon, the overſeer at Upper Niſbet, will ſhew the farms; and propoſals in writing may be given in either to Mr Walker, W. S. George Street, Francis Brodie, No. 20. South Caſtle Street, Edinburgh, or to Adam Reid and James Henderſon, writers in Jedburgh—and ſuch offers as are not accepted ſhall be kept ſecret, if deſired.

AN EXTENSIVE STOCK FARM.

To be LET, for the ſpace of ſixteen years and a lifetime, and to be entered to at Whitſunday firſt, 1798,

THE LANDS of SNADON, RAINSLAW, and HOUNDHILL, lying in the pariſh of Garvald, and ſhire of Haddington.—The farm conſiſt of about 1700 Scots acres, of which very near a half is arable, and moſt ſingularly well adapted for turnip huſbandry. The lands are capable of the higheſt improvement, and where lime has been uſed it has produced the moſt beneficial effects.

The paſture lands will anſwer remarkably well for the Cheviot breed of ſheep, and the diſtance from lime is only a few miles.

The extent, ſituation, and ſoil render this farm one of the moſt eligible for ſtock which can be ſeen, and very rarely to be met with.

Propoſals and offers will be received by the proprietor at Yeſter, by Haddington, or by James Hay, writer to the ſignet, Edinburgh, and thoſe not accepted will be kept private and returned, if deſired.

FARMS IN TWEEDDALE.

To be LET for 19 years from Whitſunday next, by public roup within the houſe of Miſs Ritchie, vintner in Peebles, on Tueſday 15th May curt. at 4 o'clock afternoon,

EASTER DAWICK and NEWHOLMHOPE, lying in the pariſhes of Stobo and Manner, and not far diſtant from Peebles. The lands of Eaſter Dawick lie along the Tweed, and contain a great extent of croft and arable ground, which is particularly well adapted for the breed of Cheviot ſheep.

Newholmhope is entirely ſheep paſture, and known to be the ſoundeſt and healthieſt ground in that diſtrict.

For farther particulars, application may be made to the Proprietor, at Newpoſſo, by Peebles, or to Francis and John Anderſon, writers to the ſignet, Edinr. who will be ready to treat by private bargain, betwixt and the day of ſale.

FOR BREMEN—AND TO RETURN TO THE FORTH,

THE ANN,

ROBERT CRAIG Maſter,

Will ſail for Bremen, on Monday the 7th curt. and to return direct with what goods may offer for Kirkaldy or Leith.

Thoſe who have goods coming from Rotterdam or Bremen, are requeſted to forward their orders as ſpeedily as poſſible.
Kirkaldy, May 4th, 1798.

To Dr BRODUM, *No. 9. Albion Street, Blackfriar's Road.*

DEAR SIR, *Jan. 29. 1798.*

YOU have my free permiſſion to make public the following Cure.—I have been afflicted for a number of years with the Rheumatiſm and Scurvy, for which I have tried ſeveral medicines, without receiving any benefit; but, fortunately, a friend of mine recommended to me your Botanical Syrup and Nervous Cordial, which I took for *ſix weeks*, and have now the pleaſure to inform you, that I am perfectly cured both of the Rheumatiſm and Scurvy; and, as ſuch, I would recommend your medicines to all ſea-faring men, who ſhould never be without it in long voyages, as they are generally ſubject to the above diſorder, by eating ſalt proviſions, and making too free with their conſtitution.——I am, Sir,

Your ever grateful, humble ſervant,
DANIEL GLENNY.

Formerly in the Eaſt India Service, and now Pilot for the North and South Channels.—No. 10. King Edward Street, Wapping.

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SALE OF LANDS,

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And of Houses in the Burgh of Kilmarnock:

To be Sold by Public Roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouſe, Edinburgh, on Monday the 25th of June, at two o'clock afternoon,

THE FOLLOWING LANDS and HOUSES, which belonged in property in whole or in part to the late William Paterſon, of Kaimſhill, writer in Kilmarnock, in the lots after mentioned.

LOT I.—The LANDS of HILLHOUSE, and MOSSIDE, and WHITEHILLOCH, with the tiends, lying in the pariſh of Riccarton, and ſhire of Ayr. Theſe lands hold of the Prince, are of a brown loam and clay ſoil, and conſiſt, according to a meaſurement made by William Crawfurd, of about 117 acres, of which Whitehilloch contains about twenty acres. It is full of marle, and at the expence of 20l. may be made the beſt land in the farm.

The lands of Hillhouſe are let for nineteen years from Martinmas 1789, at 74l. of rent. Moſſide, and Weſtmoſt part of Whitehilloch, are at preſent poſſeſſed by John Merry, without a tack, at 35l. per annum, but will let from 25s. to 30s. per acre upon a nineteen years leaſe. The whole of this lot lies in the immediate neighbourhood of a lime quarry, at which lime for manure may be got at a ſmall expence. The proprietor has a right to the teinds. The public burdens are ſmall, and the whole will be put up at the upſet price of 340l. 8s. 4d.

LOT II.—The LANDS of LOCHEND and RIGHEAD, and SORN MILN, with the teinds and pertinents, lying within the pariſh of Galſton and ſhire of Ayr. Theſe lands hold blench of a ſubject ſuperior. They contain about 210 acres, are of a good clay ſoil, well incloſed and ſubdivided, and abound with lime of a ſuperior quality. They are at preſent out of leaſe, but would let on a leaſe at from 22s. to 25s. per acre.—There is no ſtipend payable out of the lands, and the other public burdens are not great. The upſet price of this lot will be 450l.

LOT III.—That FORE HOUSE on the eaſt ſide of the New Street of Kilmarnock, leading to the Green, belonging to the late Mr Paterſon, and now or lately poſſeſſed by John Thomſon and William Allan. The rent of this houſe is 8l. 10s. ſubject to the expence of repairs, and the upſet price will be 70l.

LOT IV.—The SHOPS or BOOTHS and LOFT at Bridge or Bridgend of Kilmarnock, now or lately poſſeſſed by Nathaniel Hodge. The yearly worth of theſe ſhops is about 2l. ſubject to the expence of repairs, and about 1s. 5d. of feu-duty, and the upſet price will be 12l.

LOT V.—The HOUSES and YARDS in BACKSIDE of Smiddyrow of Kilmarnock, poſſeſſed by John Macmillan and James Auld. The yearly rent of theſe ſubjects is 16l. 10s. ſubject to the expence of repairs, and 1l. 17s. 7d. 8-12ths of feu-duty, and the upſet price will be 126l. 3s. 7d. Sterling.

LOT VI.—A FEU-DUTY of 37l. yearly, payable by James Crooks, and certain other members of the Seceding Congregation of Kilmarnock, to the late Mr Paterſon. The upſet price of this lot will be 140l.

LOT VII.—Certain other FEU-DUTIES, payable to Mr Paterſon, amounting to 11s. 8d. yearly, at the upſet price of 11l. 13s. 4d.

☞ The place and day of ſale of the two following lots is not yet fixed.

LOT VIII—The juſt and equal half of the LANDS and ESTATE of ASHFIELD or Largnahunſheon and Cruddelaſh, with the two-merk land of Drynick or Drynock, four-merk land of Daltor or Auchilibrain, the iſland called Iſland Lon or Ellantown, and other iſlands belonging to the eſtate (excepting the pendicle called Darrochnachimhurcie) all lying within the Lordſhip and Pariſh of North Knapdale, and Shire of Argyle.

Theſe Lands lying contiguous, are ſituated on the weſt coaſt of Argyleſhire, and on the eaſt ſide of the arm of the ſea called Lochfween, within five miles of the Crinan Canal. The arable ground, which is of conſiderable extent, is of good quality, and the hill, which is very extenſive, ſtretching back about three miles from the ſhore, affords excellent paſture equally adapted for ſheep and black cattle. The ſhores, which extend about three miles alongſt Lochfween, produce conſiderable quantities of ſea ware fit for kelp or manure. There is a good manſion houſe on the lands of Aſhfield, and the farm houſes, march dikes, and ſubdiviſions are in good order.

At preſent the lands are let to ſubſtantial tenants, on leaſes current for ſeven years from Whitſunday next. The nett rent, after deducting public burdens, is about 173l. but on the expiry of the preſent leaſes, a very conſiderable riſe may be expected.

Beſides a very extenſive natural wood, which is fit for cutting, there are on the eſtate ſeveral thriving and well incloſed plantations of fir and other timber, about nine years old.

The woods being ſituated on the coaſt, may be tranſported to a market at very little expence.

The lands abound with black and red game, and roes are to be found in the woods—In Lochfween there are abundance of all kinds of ſea fiſh, and ſeveral oyſter banks.

LOT IX—The juſt and equal half of that LARGE TENEMENT, or Dwelling-houſe, lying in the town of Greenock, which belonged to the deceaſed John Campbell of Aſhfield, with the ſeveral Pieces of Ground, and whole other heritable property lying in the ſaid town, which belonged to the ſaid John Campbell.

The upſet prices of theſe two lots will be afterwards mentioned.

Perſons deſirous of viewing the lands may apply to John Campbell, tenant in Aſhfield, or Alexander Campbell, wood-keeper, who will ſhow the Argyleſhire property; and to William Parker, Eſq. banker in Kilmarnock, or Mr William Brown, writer there, who will give directions for ſhowing the lands in Ayrſhire, and houſes in Kilmarnock; and for other information as to the lands of Lochend and Righead, application may be made to John Hunter, clerk to the ſignet; and as to the whole, to Thomas Adair, clerk to the ſignet.

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